THE TIMES

U. S. CLAIMS POLAR LAND AND 50 ISLES

Will Seek Control of Byrd's Antarctic Discoveries.

Washington.—The United States is planning to lay claim not only to the Byrd discoveries in the Antarctic but to various islands in the Arctic and to establish ownership to some fifty islands in the Caribbean and the South seas.

While it was stated that the Arctic and Antarctic wastes are of little value or concern to the United States, this country would claim certain portions by right of discovery. Senator Tydings (D.) of Maryland has a resolution to this effect pending in the senate.

Holds Rights in Islands.

About the islands in the Caribbean little is known, and the State department is to name a commission to make a study to establish ownership. Some of them are inhabited and of considerable value as coaling bases. Others are barren and little more than coral reefs. There are also islands in the South sea group which American mariners of former days laid claim to, but which have never been placed under the American flag.

An interesting instance is the island of Roncador, off the coast of Colombia. Two years ago it was discovered that the United States was the rightful owner. It developed, however, that it was populated almost entirely by Colombians. Although the United States established its ownership, Colombia was permitted under a treaty to retain its trading station there and the United States limited its rights to erecting a lighthouse for the safety of navigation.

Would Protect Canal.

There are several such islands in the Pacific and the Atlantic adjacent to the entrance of the Panama canal and the entrance of the proposed Nicaraguan canal, which later may become of great strategic value.

The United States archives, it was stated, contain many claims of discoveries, and they are to be carefully studied with a view to flying the American flag over any which may be desirable.

"Dead" Son Back Home; Surprises Aged Father

Rulesville, Miss.—Joe Conger, forty-two, who has been "dead" for 20 years, came home recently to visit his father, Ed Conger, eighty-seven-year-old mayor of Valden, near here.

Mourned for dead after wandering away from home, a boy in his 'teens, Conger was hardly recognized when he stepped on his father's porch here to announce that "I'm living and a husband and father." He had driven up to the old homestead with his wife and two children in a fashionable motor car from his home in Los Angeles, Calif.

Joe's return was the counterpart of the prodigal son, except that a mother, sister and brother, who died during his extended absence were not there to greet him.

Conger turned vagabond more than a quarter century ago, admittedly "to see the world at seventeen." He was reported to have wandered into Texas and died.

Chicago Woman to Boss Far North Trading Post

Winnipeg, Man.—Agnes Powers, twenty-five-year-old college-trained Chicago woman and former reporter in Des Moines, Iowa, has gone through here on her way to Mile 214 on the Hudson Bay railway, frontier rail line being built by the Canadian National railways from the Pas to Churchill at tidewater close to the Arctic circle. Miss Powers, who also has been a school teacher and stenographer, will take charge of a trading post at Mile 214. Later in the summer she will go out on a prospecting expedition.

Dream Restores Hearing to North Carolina Man

Goldsboro, N. C.—A Goldsboro man who lost his hearing in an accident six years ago regained it through a "dream" accident. The man jumped out of bed, dreaming he was in an accident, and hit his head against a rocking chair. The second injury restored his hearing.

Old Coin Unearthed

Danville, Pa.—A coin bearing the date 1517 has been found buried three feet in the earth here.

Turkey One-Year Old Lays Her 87th Egg

Point Pleasant, N. J.—Nancy, a pure-bred Jersey turkey, celebrated her first birthday at the home of her owner, Mrs. George Eckman, by laying her eighty-seventh egg.

This reproductive activity of Nancy's is said to be quite unprecedented, the usual laying power of a turkey hen being not over fifteen eggs a year; but Nancy's maternal instinct goes no further, for she refuses to set.

Many poultry fanciers have visited Mrs. Eckman's place at Spring Lake Heights, five miles north of here, and made large offers for the bird; but she is counting on boosting production next year.

Wolf Hunters Wrong; Shoot Big Police Dog

Terre Haute, Ind.—"Wolf hunters" who bagged a 90-pound specimen in the woods near Middletown recently were disappointed when Ralph Feller of Terre Haute claimed the victim was his lost police dog.

Take the HOME PAPER

FINDS WAY TO BEAT DAD'S QUEER WILL

Divorces Husband, Gets Money, Reweds Him.

San Francisco.—So she took the $160,000 and remarried her divorced husband.

As a denouement to the spectacular affairs of Dr. and Mrs. Roderic O'Connor of Oakland, the divorced couple re-entered the marital state in Reno.

The prominent Oakland physician was divorced by his wife, the former Gertrude Gould, last December, in Reno. She charged him with fault finding and nagging.

In January Mrs. O'Connor appeared in Superior court and asked that the "divorce clause" in her father's will be fulfilled.

This will made by the late Charles B. Gould, former president of the California fish and game commission, provided that his daughter should receive only the income from a $160,000 trust fund.

If she were widowed or divorced, however, she was to receive the $160,000 principal immediately. She got the money by order of Superior Judge Lincoln S. Church.

Shortly thereafter persistent rumors were current among friends of the couple that they were shortly to remarry. Both denied this, admitting that they were "close friends" but no more.

The wedding ceremony recently was performed by Rev. Brewster Adams, Reno Baptist minister.

The couple have one daughter, who inherited $20,000 from Gould's estate.

Birmingham Is Still Bashful About Limbs

Birmingham, England.—To most of the world a leg, whether it is sheathed in silk or wears a garter around its calf, is merely something to get somewhere on.

Not so in Birmingham! The good folks here can't even look at their own.

A few years ago the Watch committee, which supervises the city's morals, reached the momentous decision that even though a leg was a thing of beauty, it had a devastating influence. Therefore, the bare leg was placed in the same category as the witch.

Paviova was compelled to trip over the stage with her famous supports covered by flesh-tings. Ordinary chorus girls were made to wear tights.

It appeared the city had been saved from perdition. Troupers came back into the cities and told the story. Newspapers poked fun at the righteous citizens.

Finally the committee decided to reconsider its decision. It held a solemn inspection of a bare leg. After recovering from the shock that it contained nothing vicious the committee generously decided if other person's legs were attractive, Birmingham citizens might have a look. It even ignored colored spectacles.

Russ Reds Fail to Put Efficiency in Railways

Moscow, U. S. S. R.—The work of the Soviet railroads in the first half of the present business year is described as entirely unsatisfactory by the official mouthpiece of the railway workers, Gudok.

Only two lines, it appears from a statistical table, carried out their prescribed amount of freight transportation. Those were the Moscow-Kazan railroad and the Southwestern railroad. All other lines fell far behind the plans.

The Moscow-Kursk road, always regarded as a model organization, shocked the railroad world here by taking last place in the table of work accomplished.

Movements of trains according to time tables fell to only 69 per cent, Gudok declares. Since that is regarded as an index of efficient operation, the situation is obviously bad. The press calls for greater efforts and for measures to fix responsibility for failure.

Women Live Longer and Age Easier Than Do Men

New York.—If woman's youth-expectancy were governed by her life-expectancy, she would preserve the sheen of her hair and the smoothness of her skin from two to three years longer than her masculine contemporaries.

"Women the world over live longer and age easier than men," Miss Helena Rubinstein of London, Paris and New York, internationally-known authority on feminine beauty, said in an address here. "Data of the federal census bureau, for instance, establishes the fact that in all age-groups in the United States female mortality is lower than male.

"In the natural process of evolution, this paradox of long life and early old age will cease to exist. Women will learn to resist time not merely by living longer but by staying young longer."

Girl Plays Nursemaid, Baby Brother Is Dead

Pasadena, Calif.—A desire on the part of his three-year-old sister to play nursemaid caused the death of Don Slater, seven months old. The baby's sister undressed him, placed him in a bathtub for a bath, and turned on the hot water. Mrs. Slater was attracted by screams of the children, but the baby was fatally scalded before she could remove him from the water.

Cropped Hair Banned for Woman Choristers

Oslo, Norway.—Church authorities in the village of Fremise, on the west coast of Norway, refused to let women with cropped hair sing in the choir after the pastor had declared that "cropping and waving is an abomination."

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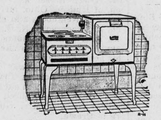

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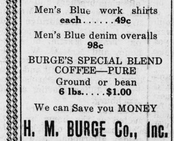

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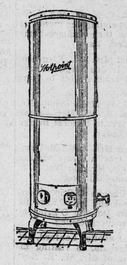

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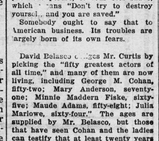

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RUNNING IN HARNESS RACING

Veterans Pension bill the fact leaked out that it was Czar Nicholas that did it.

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Because of local showers in scattered sections of the State some writers and speakers are disposed to minimize the seriousness of the drought situation. It is a fact that no living man can be found who remembers a drought so serious it this country.

As a rule our farmers are growers of the finest type of dark fired tobacco in the world and only plan enough feed stuff to carry them through the feeding season. They are now housing a poor crop of tobacco, not over a 50 per cent crop and cutting corn crop in order to salvage the roughness. In our judgment there will not be grain enough made to fatten 500 pounds pork on the average high-land farm.

Gardens are also a failure, except in scattered places where planted on low lands.

As we view the situation only the strictest economy and wise planning and saving of every article of food value will prevent suffering.

Ex-Governor Byrd as State Commissioner and Senator Ferguson, as Appomattox chairman of relief measures, together with the cooperation of State and Federal government will be unable, even in such an emergency as exists to afford much, if any relief. With local banks and farmers already heavy borrowers and little chance of organizing intermediate credit associations, financial aid will have to be remote to be of actual benefit to the farmer who needs it most.

Appomattox and Buckingham Counties are among a list of counties to which a reduction of 50 per cent on feed stuff as an emergency order of the Interstate Commerce Commission has been made. Feed may be shipped on the stock shipped out at the reduced rate. Applications should be made to the local agent for full information. This is practical relief and if farmers who need feed will pool orders, car lots may be received at substantial saving. No such condition ever confronted the farmers of Appomattox before. Commit no waste and save all you can.

CALL OFF FAIR

Interview of the disastrous and unprecedented drought that has wrought such havoc to Virginia farm crops, the writer is of the opinion that the Appomattox fair should be called off if possible. It is evident, that there can be no worthwhile agricultural exhibits. The primary object of agricultural fairs, are to exhibit and advertise the products of a state or county, and not to furnish space to side shows that in many instances are questionable, to say the least.

Observer.

Them As Has, Gits!

Seventy millions of dollars is the price in a millionaire's halfstudents pay each year for instruction by commercial correspondence schools. The 4000 Virginians enrolled in such schools tax themselves for tuition a sum that runs high into six figures. Is it not strange that the resources of public schools and colleges should be lavished upon the student who has the time and the means to attend them, while his poorer neighbor at home studying alone in spare time is neglected and ignored? Truly spake the philosopher in ebony: "Them as has, gets!"

But the day of neglect is passing. Home study courses of strictly college grade offered under public auspices six months ago have already enrolled 24 able students in 35 courses in English, sociology, government and other fields. An era is beginning when anyone who yearns to learn can find the fulfillment of his desire.

Opportunities for home education will be fully explained to readers of The Times-Virginian who send this notice or a postal card request to the Extension Department, University, Virginia.

WHAT'S HAPPENING IN VIRGINIA

Live stock producers from all parts of Southwest Virginia met at the home of Former Governor Henry C. Stuart, at met at the home of former Governor Harry F. Byrd, chairman of the Virginia Drought Relief Committee, for the purpose of formulating plans for relieving the live stock raisers as far as possible from the terrible effects of the drought which has held the State in its grip for months.

More than 100 leading live stock men attended the gathering at the Stuart home, and while no specific plans for relief were devised during the three-hour session, it was decided that Chairman Byrd, together with Frederic R. Scott, Richmond capitalist, and John L. Hutcheson, of the Virginia Polytechnic Institute, members of the Drought Relief Committee from the Old Dominion, would confer in Washington with Secretary of Agriculture Hyde. The plan which they were to submit to secretary Hyde was not made public before the conference in the national capital.

An important problem confronting Governor Pollard is to find money to match $2,379,788 which the Federal Department of Agriculture will make available on September 1, instead if July 1, 1931, for road construction purposes. All State road funds for this year have been allocated, but the Governor points out that he is empowered by statute to anticipate revenues and make short term loans. It is felt that by making this sum of money available in the near future amounting to over $5,000,000 in Federal and State funds combined, the existing depression and unemployment will be materially aided.

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This Week

by ARTHUR BRISBANE

Just a Little Sunlight.

You Can't Breed Genius.

Standard Oil in New ...

Mr. Guggenheim in the Air.

A little sunlight came filtering through dark business clouds recently.

Business failures in July carried smaller liabilities than for the same month a year ago.

One hundred and seventeen thousand that had been idle in Detroit went back to work, most of them after Henry Ford, the others for the ... Motors Truck factory, Packard and other concerns.

In one of Racine's tragedies, the lady says to her husband: Ne vouliez pas vous perdre, et vous avez sauvé which means "Don't try to destroy yourself, and you are saved."

Somebody ought to say that to American business. Its troubles are largely born of its own fears.

David Belasco ... Mr. Curtis by picking the "fifty greatest actors of all time," and many of them are now living, including George M. Cohan, fifty-two; Mary Anderson, seventy-one; Minnie Maddern Fiske, sixty-five; Maude Adams, fifty-eight; Julia Marlowe, sixty-four." The ages are supplied by Mr. Belasco, but those that have seen Cohan and the ladies can testify that at least twenty years should be taken from each.

The fact is that we have charming actors and actresses but not "great" actors and actresses.

Rachel, born in Switzerland, daughter of a Jewish peddler, possessed genius that could not be extracted from all the American actresses that have ever lived.

What the Greek actors with their masks were like, we don't know. But there must have been considerable genius in the succession of actors that caused one of Euripides' tragedies to run in Athens for 500 years.

How To Cure Tobacco.

Mr. Editor:

The question has been asked me many times lately, would you advise scaffolding tobacco this year as usual. No.

Owing to the very dry season, there is a very little sap in tobacco. My advice is to put in house as soon as it limbers sufficiently to handle, run together on three bottom poles, and sprinkle thoroughly each morning for three days until yellow. Then regulate.

Keep the floor flooded while yellowing. Run slow fires for 12 hours each day for three days. Now raise fires to around 125 degrees for 48 hours, at which time the leaf will be partly cured. Then stop fires and smoke when it comes in order enough to dry it out.

H. C. Babcock.

Notice

To the Land Owners of Appomattox County, Virginia.

In accordance with the provisions of Sec. 345 Chap. 411, Acts of 1930, notice is hereby given that the Local Board of Equalization of Real Estate Assessments will sit at the following places and dates for he purpose of equalizing the real estate assessments in Appomattox County, and for the purpose of hearing all complaints of inequalities in such real estate assessments, to-wit:

Monday Augus: 25th, at Chap, 10 A. M.

Tuesday August 26th, at Campiin, 10 A. M.

Wednesday, August 27th, at Vera, 10 A. M.

Thursday, August 28th, at Oakville, 10 A. M.

Wednesday, Sept. 3, at Stonewall, 10 A. M.

Thursday, Sept. 4th, at Appomattox C. H., 10 A. M.

All land owners of Appomattox County wishing to be heard in regard to equalizing their assessments are requested to appear before the Board at any of these meetings.

J. R. Horsley, Chm. Local Board of Equalization of Assessments.

L. N. Ligon, Sec'y. 2t

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This Week

by ARTHUR BRISBANE

Surprising Barbarians.

Lipton's $400.

Big Business Forgot.

Psychology, Perhaps.

Having given the Afridis twenty-four hours' notice, British air men bomb their defense towers and many homes, knocking them down as children would overturn a house of sand.

The barbarians were surprised to see how one small bomb could destroy what they considered "an impregnable fortress."

What will happen to Western civilization if the barbarians decide to build bombing planes for their own use? What would happen if our highly civilized friends of Asia decided to stop fighting each other and attack through the air somebody in the West?

Stalin of Russia has shown ability to manage men, organize industry and raise billions of dollars.

He feels that he has been insulted by capitalist nations, particularly this nation.

What would happen, in this busy world, if he used some of his new factories to build airplanes and sent them against "capitalism," with millions of armed Asiatics to back them up?

Sir Thomas Lipton is here again to see his yacht win or lose. He is eighty, and the cup that he seeks was won by an American boat when Lipton was a one-year-old baby. It would please everybody if the genial old Irishman could take the cup back with him. We don't need it, and our young millionaire yacht builders would enjoy going over after it.

Yacht races mean little to the average man, but a few words that Lipton said to reporters mean everything to millions.

He told how he came to this country, aged seventeen, in the steerage, adding:

"I went to work in the South, saved, and returned home with $400 in my pocket, and I thought I was the richest man in the world."

He wasn't the richest man, but he was rich because he knew how to save. That in itself is wealth.

Lipton has business ability, understands advertising, and trade. But what his business intelligence would have done him no good without the first $400. That money enabled him to start something.

And starting, he succeeded. A great many of all Americans die worth less than $100, and 85% of those past 65 are dependent on others, and that in a country where average intelligence, willingness to work, and capacity to save, mean independence in old age.

Dr. Thomas, president of Rutgers University, advises 200,000 young men and women about to enter American colleges, to "leave their conceit at home." The doctor's advice is sound, if properly understood, but it is not to be taken literally. What we call "conceit" is half developed ambition.

To tell a young man to leave at home the driving power of conceit, would be like telling a watch to leave its mainspring at home. You need conceit, which means belief in yourself, to keep you going. "Conceit is not the way to popularity, least of all on a college campus," says the doctor.

On the other hand, popularity on a college campus is of no great importance, later in life.

When young Bonaparte sulked in corners, at French military school, despising comrades that laughed at his Corsican accent he was not popular. But later, as Emperor, he made some of them marshals, and had others shot.

When big business met the President in the White House after the Wall Street smash, industry solemnly vowed that whatever might happen it would not reduce wages.

Big business even expressed its belief that "high wages are the real foundation of our prosperity."

Promising is one thing, doing is another. New York's Labor Bureau reports sixty industries or big concerns that have reduced wages since May. Lack of employment has made this easy.

The cost of living is reduced and it seems reasonable to some employers not to let a man earn more than it costs him to live. Superfluity might spoil him.

Thomas A. Edison says our "depression is largely psychological."

Henry Ford says too many of us are "looking for a Santa Claus" instead of getting to work.

There is some defective psychology and some Santa Claus hunting, undoubtedly, but many a man of Mr. Ford's age, sixty-seven, and younger, without Mr. Ford's ability or fortune is job hunting, not Santa Claus hunting.

He goes about, his gray hair dyed a sickly black or brown, to conceal his years, and he is told "We hire youngar men." No psychology there, no Santa Claus hunting, but hard times.

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Jean Tasserand, to prove that he loved a girl, wrote ser a farewell note, jumped to his death from an airplane, his broken body landing in the garden of his mother's home.

Fools will make a hero of him. He would have been more like a hero had he taken care of his mother and lived to prove that he appreciated her, which is every man's first duty.

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